

ANNUAL REPORT



Town of Wakefield

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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Town Officers WAKEFIELD New Hampshire

For the fiscal year ending
December 31, 1948

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THE PICTURE ON THE COVER

Wakefield, then called East-town, was granted in 1749 by the Masonian Proprietors. Six acres of land were set aside for a parade ground for soldiers, a schoolhouse and a meeting house and a cemetery.

The meeting house was built slowly, not having been completed before the Revolutionary War. It served as a Town Hall until 1838, when the new one at Wakefield Corner was purchased.

On October 13, 1948 Mr. Albert O. Robinson, nona genarian, unveiled the monument and plaque which the Town of Wakefield, in collaboration with the Wakefield - Brookfield Historical Society, placed on the site in the Lovell Lake Cemetery.

TOWN OFFICERS 1948

Moderator

ANSEL N. SANBORN

Selectmen

A. W. WIGGIN

JAMES A. REED, JR.

JAMES BLACKWOOD

Town Clerk

RALPH W. HANSON

Treasurer

ABBIE F. TUTTLE

Auditors

ELWOOD DAVIS

WINSLOW W. ALLEY

Health Officer

THOMAS J. McLAUGHLIN

Supervisors

R. P. LANG

SAM. P. McKENZIE

HAROLD WYMAN

Police

JAMES A. REED, JR.

LEROY ROBINSON

GEORGE W. HOIT

R. T. PALMER

Trustees of Trust Funds

CHARLES H. TUCKER

HAROLD WYMAN

A. W. WIGGIN

TOWN WARRANT**THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Wakefield, N. H. in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Wakefield, N. H. on Tuesday, the eighth day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects. The polls not to close before six o'clock in the evening, same day.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Wakefield, N. H. on Tuesday, the eighth day of March, next at seven thirty o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

2. To see if the Town will vote to establish rates of pay for Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Auditors, Supervisors of the Checklist, Ballot Clerks, Chief of Police, Road Agent, Special Police Officers, Health Officer, and Trustees of Trust Funds, and to raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.

3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for winter highways.

5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for oiling roads.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for culverts, bridges and general expenses.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of camp roads.

8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Public Libraries and where it shall be expended.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3100.00 for street Lighting in the Town of Wakefield.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the observance of Memorial Day.

12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire such sums of money as may be necessary to pay Town bills in anticipation of taxes.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be paid to the Sanbornville Fire Precinct; also a like sum to be paid to the Union Fire Precinct.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the prevention and suppression of Forest Fires.

15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of Town Poor.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$594.99 to be expended on Town Road Aid; the State contributing \$2379.97.

17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of sidewalks in the Town.

18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for winter maintenance of sidewalks in the Town.

19. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Town Dumps.

20. To see if the Town will vote to adopt Sections 112 to 122 of Chapter 34 of the Revised Laws entitled "Non Partisan Ballot System." (By petition of C. Martin and others.)

21. To see if the Town will vote to create a "Playground Commission" so called, by the adoption of Sections 34 to 37 of Chapter 51 of the Revised Laws, as amended by Chapter 120, Laws of 1945, or to see what action the Town will take in the matter. (By petition of C. Martin and others.)

22. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law, Chapter 52, Sections 1-6 Revised Laws of N. H., 1942. Amended, Chapters 80, 159, Laws of N. H., 1943. (By petition of Wakefield Taxpayers Association and others.)

23. To see if the Town will vote to elect the members at large of the Budget Committee, from nominations made on the floor at Town meeting. (By petition of Wakefield Taxpayers Association and others.)

24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$170.00 which is 1/100 of 1% of the assessed valuation of the Town to the Lakes Region Association for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town, in cooperation with other Towns in the Lakes Region.

25. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate towards the purchase of a tank truck and equipment to be used in conjunction with present fire fighting equipment. (By Geo. Spinney and others.)

26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be paid to the Sanbornville Water Precinct for hydrant charges. (By A. Sanborn and others.)

27. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty nine.

ALBERT W. WIGGIN

JAMES A. REED, JR.

JAMES BLACKWOOD

Selectmen of Wakefield, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

ALBERT W. WIGGIN

JAMES A. REED, JR.

JAMES BLACKWOOD

Selectmen of Wakefield, N. H.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949 Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue,, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1948	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1948	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1949
From State:			
Interest and Dividends			
Tax	\$350 00	\$ 671 08	\$ 600 00
Railroad Tax	1600 00	1804 40	1600 00
Savings Bank Tax	75 00	99 28	75 00
For Fighting Forest			
Fires	500 00	2887 95	500 00
Bounties	56 50	56 50	99 50
Reimbursement a/c Old			
Age Assistance		1494 40	
From Local Sources Ex-			
cept Taxes:			
Business Licenses and			
Permits		25 00	
Rent of Town Hall and			
Other Buildings	1800 00	1985 00	1800 00
Interest Received on			
Taxes and Deposits		188 16	
Dog Licenses		164 00	
Motor Vehicle Permit			
Fees	2000 00	2640 18	2200 00
Tax Sales Redeemed		76 69	
Amount Raised by Issue			
of Bonds or Notes:			
Long Term Notes		12000 00	
Temporary Loans		18000 00	
Refund		61 40	

Cash Surplus	3670 69	8670 79	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes — Regular @ \$2	1000 00	980 00	1000 00
National Bank Stock			
Taxes	42 00	41 75	41 75
Total Revenues From All Sources Except			
Property Taxes	\$11094 19	\$51846 58	\$7916 25
Amt. To Be Raised by Property Taxes	70560 01	71341 03	68900 74
Total Revenues	\$81654 20	\$123187 61	\$76816 99

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1948	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1948	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1949
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
* Town Officers' Salaries	\$2500 00	\$2835 00	\$3000 00
* Town Officers' Expenses	1400 00	1587 52	400 00
* Election and Registration Expenses	300 00	345 00	200 00
* Town Office Expenses			1000 00
* Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1600 00	2172 94	1600 00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
* Police Department	600 00	503 92	500 00
Fire Department, Spec. Approp.	1000 00	1000 00	200 00

Forest Fires	500 00	2584 36	500 00
Health:			
* Health Department	50 00	50 00	50 00
* Vital Statistics	50 00	44 50	50 00
Town Dumps	300 00	318 10	300 00
Highways and Bridges:			
Oiling Roads	2500 00	2928 21	3000 00
Town Maintenance:			
Summer	4500 00	4538 73	4500 00
Winter	6500 00	6498 26	5000 00
Street Lighting	3000 00	2638 11	3100 00
General Expenses of			
Highway Department			
— Bridges	750 00	781 23	1400 00
Town Road Aid	592 20	592 20	594 99
Perambulation Town			
Lines	300 00	199 00	
Libraries	750 00	750 00	750 00
Bounties		99 50	
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	750 00	756 25	750 00
Old Age Assistance	3500 00	4303 81	4400 00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day	300 00	91 50	100 00
Lakes Region Assn.			170 00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playgrounds	600 00	600 00	
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	300 00	300 00	
Dog Damage		68 00	
Taxes Bought by Town		743 39	
Camp Roads	1000 00	1034 04	1000 00
Unclassified:			
Legal Expenses			50 00
Insurance	900 00	750 34	900 00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	290 00	534 57	350 00
On Long Term Notes			215 00

On Principal of Trust			
Funds Used by Town	210 00	271 25	
Highways and Bridges:			
Sidewalk Repair			500 00
Sidewalk, Winter Main-			
tenance			500 00
New Equipment	2500 00	4626 62	
Indebtedness:			
Payment on Principal of			
Debt: Temp. Loans		28000 00	
Long Term Notes			3000 00
To Restore Trust Funds		7000 00	
Payment to Capital			
Reserve Funds		5000 00	
Payments to Other Gov-			
ernmental Divisions:			
Precincts		3850 00	
County Taxes	8385 81	8385 81	9000 00
			Est.
School Taxes	25572 00	25088 10	29787 00
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Total Expenditures	\$81654 20	\$121870 26	\$76866 99

* General Government Expenses or Town Charges.

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Description of Property	No.	Valuation
Land and Buildings		\$1345850 00
Growing Wood and Timber		45300 00
Electric Plants (Dams, Poles, Wires, etc)		143100 00
Horses	53	5650 00
Oxen	2	200 00
Cows	133	19125 00
Other Neat Stock	14	1600 00
Sheep and Goats	19	180 00
Fowls	3725	4475 00
Portable Mills	1	700 00
Boats and Launches	3	1650 00
Stock in Trade		68550 00
Mills and Machinery		20500 00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		36960 00
Gasoline Pumps & Tanks		6240 00
Total Valuation (Less Soldier's Exemptions)		<hr/> \$1700080 00
Poll Taxes Number 596 @ \$2.00		1192 00
National Bank Stock Tax		41 75
Total Amount of Taxes to be Committed to Collector including Town and Precinct Taxes, Poll Taxes and National Bank Stock Taxes		<hr/> \$73950 73
Average rate of taxation per one hundred dollars valuation for all purposes		4 28
Amount of Property Valuation Exempt to Soldiers		48400 00

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WIGGIN
 JAMES A. REED, JR.
 JAMES BLACKWOOD
 Selectmen of Wakefield, N. H.

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2500 00	
Town Officers' and Office Expense	1400 00	
Election and Registration	300 00	
Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	1600 00	
Police Department	600 00	
Fire Departments (Special Approp.)	1000 00	
Health Department	50 00	
Vital Statistics	50 00	
Town Road Aid	592 20	
Summer Highways	4500 00	
Winter Highways & Snow Removal	6500 00	
Camp Roads	1000 00	
Oiling Roads	2500 00	
General Expenses of Hwy Dept	750 00	
Forest Fires	500 00	
Town Dumps	300 00	
Perambulation of Town Lines	300 00	
Street Lighting	3000 00	
New Equipment for Hwy Dept	2500 00	
Libraries	750 00	
Old Age Assistance	3500 00	
Town Poor	750 00	
Memorial Day	300 00	
Parks and Playgrounds	600 00	
Cemeteries	300 00	
Insurance	900 00	
Interest	500 00	
Payment on principal of Debt	2229 72	
County Tax	8000 00	
School Tax	25572 00	
Total Town and School Appropriations		\$73343 92

Less Estimated Credits.

Interest and Dividend Tax	\$ 600 00
Railroad Tax	1500 00
Saving Bank Tax	75 00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2000 00
Rent of Town Property	385 81

Total Estimated Credits	\$4560 81
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\$68783 11

Plus Overlay	1303 88
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Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$70086 99
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Less: Poll Taxes at \$2.00	\$1192 00
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National Bank Stock Tax	41 75
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\$1233 75

Amt. to be raised by property taxes	
on which tax rate is to be figured	\$68853 24

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$68853 24
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	1192 00
National Bank Stock Tax	41 75
Precinct Taxes	3863 74

Total Taxes to be Committed	\$73950 73
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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS & EXPENDITURES

	Appropriation	Receipts or Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditure	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$2500 00		\$2500 00	\$2835 00		\$335 00
Town Officers' Expenses	1400 00		1400 00	1587 52		187 52
Election & Registration	300 00		300 00	345 00		45 00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	1600 00	\$1985 00	3585 00	2172 94	\$1412 06	
Police Department	600 00		600 00	503 92	96 08	
Fire Department (Special App.)	1000 00		1000 00	1000 00		
Health Department	50 00		50 00	50 00		
Vital Statistics	50 00		50 00	44 50	5 50	
Town Road Aid	592 20		592 20	592 20		
Summer Highways	4500 00		4500 00	4538 73		38 73
Winter Highways	6500 00		6500 00	6498 26	1 74	
Camp Roads	1000 00		1000 00	1034 04		34 04
Oiling Roads	2500 00		2500 00	2928 21		428 21
Annual Expenses of Highway Department	750 00		750 00	781 23		31 23
Forest Fires	500 00	2887 95	3387 95	2584 36	803 59	
Town Dumps	300 00		300 00	318 10		18 10
Perambulation of Town Lines	300 00		300 00	199 00	101 00	
Street Lighting	3000 00		3000 00	2638 11	361 89	
New Equipment for Highway Department	2500 00		2500 00	2500 00		

Libraries	750 00		750 00	750 00	
Old Age Assistance	3500 00	1494 40	4994 40	4303 81	690 59
Town Poor	750 00		750 00	756 25	
Memorial Day	300 00		300 00	91 50	6 25
Parks & Playgrounds	600 00		600 00	600 00	208 50
Cemeteries	300 00		300 00	300 00	
Insurance	900 00		900 00	750 34	149 66
Interest	500 00	7 60	507 60	805 82	
Payment on Principal of Debt	2229 72		2229 72	2229 72	298 22
County Tax	8000 00		8000 00	8385 81	385 81
Totals	\$47771 92	\$6374 95	\$54146 87	\$52124 37	\$3830 61
					1808 11
Net Unexpended Balance					\$2022 50

TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

BALANCE

ASSETS

Cash	\$1317 35
Accounts Due to the Town	
Town Road Aid	1014 97
Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on account of)	
Levy of 1948	415 81
Levy of 1947	328 19
Levy of 1946	101 91
Previous Years	82 09
Uncollected Taxes: (Levy of 1948)	7161 50
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Total Assets	\$10421 82
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	7246 18
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Grand Total	\$17668 00
Net Debt, December 31, 1947	\$12229 72
Net Debt, December 31, 1948	\$7246 18
Decrease of Debt	\$4983 54

SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1948

LIABILITIES

Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses	\$ 96 00	
Balance of Appropriation	5572 00	
Long Term Notes Outstanding	12000 00	
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Total Liabilities, Grand Total		\$17668 00

UNIFORM

TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

RECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes: (Collected and
remitted to Treasurer)

Property taxes — Current Year \$66549 06

Poll taxes — Current Year —

Regular @ \$2 976 00

National Bank Stock Taxes 41 75

Total Current Year's taxes

collected and remitted \$66476 81

Property taxes — Previous Years 5881 97

Poll taxes — Previous Years —

Regular @ \$2 4 00

Interest received on taxes 180 56

Tax sales redeemed 76 69

From State:

Interest and dividend tax 671 08

Railroad tax 1804 40

Savings bank tax 99 28

Fighting Forest Fires

State of N. H. 1947 Acct. \$ 793 62

State of N. H. 1948 Acct. 766 76

Reimbursement, Paul Lawrence 1100 42

Reimbursement, Donald Nason 227 15

\$2887 95

Bounties 56 50

Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance 1494 40

From Local Sources, Except Taxes.

Dog licenses 164 00

Business licenses and permits 25 00

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CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS

FOR YEAR 1948

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries \$2835 00

Town officers' expenses 1587 52

Election and registration expenses 345 00

Perambulation of Town Lines 199 00

Expenses town hall and other town
buildings 2172 94

Protection of Persons and Property.

Police department 503 92

Fire department, including forest
fires 2584 36

Town Dumps 318 10

Bounties 99 50

Damage by dogs 68 00

Health:

Health department, including
hospitals 50 00

Vital statistics 44 50

Highways and Bridges:

Oiling Roads 2928 21

Town Road Aid \$592.20, Camp
Roads \$1034.04 1626 24Town Maintenance (Summer —
\$4538.73) (Winter — \$6498.26) 11036 99

Street lighting 2638 11

General Expenses of Highway

Department 781 23

Libraries: 750 00

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RECEIPTS

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Reimbursement, Damage to Town Property	10 00
Rent of Town Property	
Rent, Town Hall	\$1885 00
Rent, Other Town Bldgs.	90 00
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	\$1975 00
Interest received on deposits	7 60
Registration of motor vehicles,	
1947 Permits	16 66
1948 Permits	2623 52
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:	
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	
during year	18000 00
Long term notes during year	12000 00
Refunds	61 40
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$114516 82
Cash on hand January 1, 1948	8670 79
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Grand Total	\$123187 61

PAYMENTS

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Public Welfare:		
Old age assistance	4303 81	
Town poor	756 25	
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Veterans'		
Associations	91 50	
Recreation: Parks and Playgrounds	600 00	
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	300 00	
Unclassified:		
Insurance	750 34	
Transfer to School District	15 00	
Taxes bought by town	743 39	
Spec. Approp. to Fire Depts.	1000 00	
		\$39128 91
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in antici-		
pation of taxes	\$534 57	
Paid on principal of trust funds		
used by towns	271 25	
Total Interest Payments		\$805 82
Outlay for New Construction and		
Permanent Improvements:		
New equipment, Highway	\$4626 62	\$4626 62
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in		
anticipation of taxes	\$35000 00	
Payments to capital reserve funds	5000 00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		\$40000 00
Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions:		
Taxes paid to County	\$8385 81	

Payments to Precincts	3850 00
Payments to School Districts	
Approp. — \$24977.00) (Dog	
Lic. — \$96.10)	25073 10
Total Payments to Other Gov- ernmental Divisions	<hr/> \$37308 91
Total Payments for all Purposes	\$121870 26
Cash on hand December 31, 1948	1317 35
Grand Total	<hr/> \$123187 61

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$45000 00
Furniture and Equipment	4500 00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	1500 00
Equipment	12000 00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	20000 00
Equipment	3500 00
Total	<hr/> \$86500 00

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date Jan. 29, 1949

ALBERT W. WIGGIN
JAMES A. REED, JR.
JAMES BLACKWOOD
 Selectmen
ABBIE F. TUTTLE
 Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

DOG LICENSES

62 Licenses issued at	\$2 00	
8 Licenses issued at	5 00	\$164 00
Paid Town Treasurer		\$164 00

MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

572 Permits issued for 1948	\$2640 18
Paid Town Treasurer	\$2640 18

RALPH W. HANSON
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR 1948

Uncollected on Levy of 1946	\$2 00	
Added Taxes	2 00	
Interest	37	
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Total		\$4 37
Paid Treasurer		\$4 37
Uncollected on Levy of 1947	\$5908 75	
Added Taxes	84 21	
Interest	180 19	
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Total		\$6173 15
Abatements	\$ 111 39	
Paid Treasurer	6061 76	
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		\$6173 15

LEVY OF 1948

Tax Warrant	\$73774 49	
Bank Stock Tax	41 75	
Added Taxes:		
Property	\$91 13	
Polls, 30 @ \$2.00	60 00	
Precincts	8 93	160 06
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Total		\$73976 30
Abated	\$ 337 99	
Uncollected	7161 50	
Paid Treasurer	66476 81	
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Total		\$73976 30
Redemptions		\$76 69

HOWARD A. BEACHAM
Collector

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan 1, 1948	\$ 8670 79
Taxes	72620 03
Rent of Town Buildings	1985 00
Refund — Old Age Assistance & Town Poor	1494 40
Refund — Forest Fire	2887 95
Refund — Winter Highway	61 40
Bounties	56 50
Auto Tax	2640 18
Dog Tax	164 00
Junk Licenses	15 00
Pistol Permits	10 00
Interest Refund	7 60
Savings Bank Tax	99 28
Railroad Tax	1804 40
Interest & Dividend Tax	671 08
Notes	30000 00
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	\$123187 61

DISBURSEMENTS

Town Orders	\$121849 23
Service Charge	21 03
Cash on hand	1317 35
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	\$123187 61

ABBIE F. TUTTLE
Treasurer

SELECTMEN'S REPORTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Albert W. Wiggin @ \$8 Per Day	\$696 00
James A. Reed, Jr., @ \$8 Per Day	774 00
James Blackwood @ \$8 Per Day	587 00
Ralph W. Hanson, Salary	100 00
Abbie F. Tuttle, Salary	200 00
Howard Beacham, Salary	350 00
Elwood Davis @ \$8 Per Day	44 00
Marjorie Tessier @ \$8 Per Day	44 00
W. W. Alley @ \$8 Per Day	40 00

\$2835 00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Albert W. Wiggin	
Salary — Trustee of Trust Fund	\$ 25 00
Telephone	1 90
Meals	7 60
Mileage @ .10 per mile	114 00
Postage Stamps	3 00
James A. Reed, Jr.	
Telephone	4 45
Meals	80 30
Mileage @ .10 per mile	71 10
James Blackwood	
Telephone	12 00
Meals	102 00
Ralph W. Hanson, Motor Vehicle	
Permit Fees	311 12
Preston Smart, Legal Counsel	54 70
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Office	
Telephone	62 53

Brown & Saltmarsh, Office Supplies	43 10
Robert Palmer, Printing & Supplies	27 50
Louise M. Paul, MD, Commitment Fee	10 00
Edson C. Eastman Co., Office Supplies	56 03
Sarah Waldron, Office Work	10 00
N. H. Tax Coll. Ass'n, Association Dues	2 00
Kathryn S. Carter, Recording Fees	50 64
H. P. Sawyer, MD, Commitment Fee	10 00
James A. Reed, Sr., PM, Office Supplies	107 00
Carroll County Independent, Printing	299 76
Allen Sayre, Assistance to Assessors	10 00
Ass'n N. H. Assessors, Dues	2 00
Walter G. White, Recording Fees	1 20
US Auto & Truck Guide, Town Clerk's Supplies	4 50
Wheeler & Clark Co., Office Supplies	53 06
Marjorie Tessier, Office Work	20 00
Studleys Flower Gardens, Flowers	10 00
Wolfeboro Nat. Bank, Bank Service Charge	21 03
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	\$1587 52

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Carroll County Independent	\$ 5 00
Geo. Wentworth	20 00
Thomas J. McLaughlin	20 00
H. A. Beacham	20 00
Samuel P. McKenzie	80 00

R. P. Lang	100 00	
Harold Wyman	100 00	
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		\$345 00

POLICE

L. B. Robinson, Salary & Expenses	\$419 12	
James A. Reed, Jr., Salary & Expenses	52 00	
Robert Palmer, Salary & Expenses	24 00	
George Hoit, Salary & Expenses	8 80	
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		\$503 92

TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

Albert W. Wiggin, Labor	\$14 95
Leroy Hamm, Labor	110 15
Public Service Co., Lights	125 12
R. J. Girard, Labor	49 50
Chas. R. Hardy, Treas.	2 00
Wm. J. Baker, Labor	61 75
J. M. Haynes Est., Supplies	97 98
R. P. Lang, Janitor Service	774 45
Chas. Prescott, Labor	33 00
Sam. H. Paul, Labor & Supplies	15 37
Wm. M. Lord Co., Wood	5 00
Homer C. Lowe, Coal	432 00
Andrew J. Foss, Septic Tank	57 00
Harry A. Beane, Piano Tuning	5 00
General Store, Supplies	47 57
Sanbornville Precinct, Water	57 00
W. H. Davenhall, Kitchen Supplies	70 51

Sanbornville Pharmacy, Supplies	7 50	
John W. Kennedy, Labor	48 30	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	2 09	
Richard Swinerton, Labor	154 70	
B. E. Roberts	2 00	
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FOREST FIRES

Harry Adams	\$ 1 50
Richard Colbath	8 63
David Stevens	2 25
Donald Lyons	13 13
R. P. Lang ,Warden	227 48
Howard Emery	21 50
Mira Lang, Time Keeper	4 50
Forrest Lang	32 50
Robert Palmer, Dep. Warden	82 60
Walter Brasier	6 00
Erford Cowan	5 10
A. W. Wiggin, Dep. Warden	47 20
Ernest Spinney, Dep. Warden	19 60
Ida Spinney	5 25
L. Spinney	3 75
Gordon Wiggin	15 75
Stuart Wiggin	4 50
Donald Hanson	3 05
Arthur Pike	9 18
I. D. Tuttle, Dep. Warden	62 70
Henry Brouillard	15 30
Leroy Hamm	1 50
Lewis Tibbetts, Supplies	7 80
A. J. Cary	5 70
Ernest Lakin	15 80
Chas. Tufts	17 00

Willis Garland	3 35
Roger Crediford	15 00
Lily Crediford	1 50
L. Beckwith	3 00
Geo. Wentworth	3 85
J. Stevens	3 75
R. Oullette	3 00
R. Gagnon	3 00
H. L. Stead	3 00
Roger Drapeau	3 00
Ralph Chick	3 00
R. H. Wiles, Sr.	3 00
R. H. Wiles, Jr.	3 00
C. Woodman	3 00
Wm. Sparhack	3 00
James Bennett	9 00
Kenneth Wilkinson	9 00
Henry Cotton	9 00
Ray Cate	9 00
Norris Cate	9 00
Herbert Maleham	9 00
Robert Maleham	9 00
E. Herring	6 38
Arthur Fleming	8 25
R. Hamlin	8 25
Geo. Williams	6 38
Wilfred Nute, Dep. Warden	7 00
A. McFarland	5 53
O. Lorentzon	4 88
Russell Shea	4 50
Bruce Spinney	7 50
Roger Drapeau	3 00
Richard Wiggin	17 90
Fred Tewksbury	3 00
Robert McNally	6 75
Geo. Spinney	8 93
Paul McNally	10 50
Geo. Stevens, Fire Chief	14 70

James McNally	12 00
Leo Vachon	3 75
M. Ferguson	14 00
Earl Nichols	2 25
R. E. Bond	1 50
James Ashby	1 88
Donald Duchano	1 50
Fred Nason, Jr.	14 15
Earl Garland	4 20
Norman Gerry	5 63
Donald ¹ Nason	25 85
Robert Nason	3 00
Almon Nason	1 50
Lawrence Nason	5 18
Leroy Robinson	9 00
Roger Wentworth	3 83
Richard Sanborn	11 90
Raymond Robinson	12 22
B. A. Dresser	2 63
Romeo Jette	5 10
Russell Thompson	10 20
Ray Eckert	2 25
Alden Young	14 50
Wm. Boston	11 63
Walter Rines, Dep. Warden	23 60
Robert Soucy	7 50
Guy Garland	10 50
Harold Bean	9 00
Ralph Hanson	4 25
Woodrow Smart	4 50
Geo. Tessier	9 10
Walter Thomas	3 08
Arthur Libby	1 50
Henry Morin	4 00
Wm. Streader	1 50
Lewis Perry	8 25
Ralph Brackett	2 55
Chas. Drugg	1 50

Howard Adams	9 75
Malcolm Kurth	3 00
Donald Hughes	1 50
Wm. Faler	5 25
Geo. Adams	3 75
Otis Perkins	4 50
G. Nason	4 50
F. Weeman	5 25
Wm. Lavertu	5 25
Mason Joy	5 95
Arnold Wentworth	5 53
Lawrence Blumberg, Warden	50 12
Ossipee L. & P. Precinct, Payroll	90 00
Harry Wormstead, Warden	137 68
E. H. Remick, Warden	35 70
Guy Foss, Warden	175 75
Eugene Moody	27 75
Vinton Miliner	2 25
W. McCully	1 50
J. Soucy	5 10
P. Soucy	7 13
C. Knight	9 60
Geo. Holman	3 40
Harold Pippin	9 10
Abbott Joy	9 35
James A. Reed, Jr., Dep. Warden	20 96
James Blackwood, Dep. Warden	11 60
Wm. Karcher	2 25
Fred Elliott	2 63
Eldon Richards	2 25
Fred Downs	3 40
Robert Page	1 50
G. Mattson	3 10
Chas. Witham	3 10
J. McBrian	1 80
S. H. Paul	5 30
Lyman Belknap	1 80
Robert Jackman	6 30

R. Borg	1 50
Harold Wyman	26 20
Ellsworth Thompson	11 63
Wm. Twombly	12 50
Sarah's Spa, Supplies	6 60
Arthur Munroe	1 50
W. G. Weeks, Dep. Warden	98 35
L. Weeks	5 75
C. T. Willey, Warden	4 65
Harry Weeks	75
Alfred Weeks	3 00
K. Anderson	3 40
John Sanborn	9 00
J. Cook	49 80
O. Soucy	6 75
Chas. Bly	9 75
Delmore Witham, Dep. Warden	24 76
Chas. Crowley	1 50
Ernest Neil	8 25
Norman Hackett	3 75
R. Bond, Sr.	1 50
R. Bond, Jr.	1 50
E. T. Drown	41 54
A. Soucy	6 00
Wm. Drown	15 01
A. J. Soucy	101 49
Earl Stevens	3 40
Frank Plummer	1 70
State of New Hampshire	280 53
Railway Express Agency	4 03
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	\$2584 39

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Thomas J. McLaughlin	\$50 00
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VITAL STATISTICS

Ralph W. Hanson	\$44 50
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PERAMBULATION OF TOWN LINES

Albert W. Wiggin, Salary & Expense	\$ 25 00
James A. Reed, Jr., Salary & Expense	60 00
James Blackwood, Salary & Expense	114 00
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	\$199 00

TOWN DUMP

Robert Nason	\$ 1 70
John Sanborn	3 40
Harold Bean	3 40
Howard Adams	3 40
Geo. Spinney	5 95
Fred Nason, Jr.	5 95
Roger Drapeau	5 10
Geo. Stevens	8 00
Chas. Bly	7 20
Robert Palmer	28 00
J. G. Mooney	100 00
E. T. Drown	100 00
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	\$318 10

TOWN ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire	\$592 20
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STREET LIGHTING

Public Service of New Hampshire

\$2638 11

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Wm. Streader	\$ 43 30
Harold Bean	46 50
Fred Tewksbury	70 30
Chas. Bly	76 50
Sanbornville Garage	12 56
Woodman Store	4 52
Chas. De Prizio	51 09
Wt. Mt. Garage	25 06
Geo. Fifield, Sr.	55 50
Geo. Fifield, Jr.	43 50
J. D. Garvin	71 50
Geo. Wentworth	11 00
W. G. Weeks	112 20
Carl Dodier	6 00
A. W. Wiggin, Oak Posts	76 50
Wakefield Garage	8 26
B. A. Dresser	44 05
Richard Swinerton	12 68
Brackett & Shaw	10 21

 \$781 23

OILING ROADS

State of N. H.	\$1430 56
Stephen Shaughnessy	1 50
Geo. Wentworth	34 00
Lewis Perry	161 55

Wesley Hackett	33 75
Almon Nason	34 40
Donald Nason	188 00
Fred Tewksbury	81 75
Wm. Streader	164 10
Chas. Bly	208 00
American Tar Co.	444 00
Carl Dodier	21 00
Oscar Duchano	42 00
Harold Bean	15 75
Wm. Boston	24 35
Richard Colbath	43 50
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	\$2928 21

CAMP ROADS

B. A. Dresser	\$124 45
Wesley Hackett	78 05
Geo. Wentworth	67 00
Carl Dodier	82 50
Wm. Streader	38 98
Harold Bean	59 63
Fred Tewksbury	57 43
Chas. Bly	62 45
Floyd Fleming	40 45
W. G. Weeks	215 85
Arthur Fleming	31 80
Lewis Perry	35 15
Donald Nason	39 25
Almon Nason	35 05
Oscar Duchano	66 00
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SUMMER HIGHWAYS

Wakefield Garage	\$358 47
Coll. Int. Revenue	181 00
W. G. Weeks	357 60
Floyd Fleming	17 20
Arthur Fleming	17 20
Geo. Wentworth	320 30
Carl Dodier	225 25
Oscar Duchano	446 50
Fred Tewksbury	62 25
Wm. Streader	180 90
Lewis Perry	198 73
Wesley Hackett	334 00
Almon Nason	293 80
Donald Nason	320 68
Chas. Bly	223 65
Sanbornville Garage	302 08
Geo. R. Fifield	33 00
Frank Moody	25 84
Richard Swinerton	79 41
Wt. Mt. Hgway Garage	9 75
Woodman Store	3 45
Harold Bean	246 60
B. A. Dresser	92 90
Wiggin's Ser. Sta.	8 08
Wm. Boston	32 65
Wiles Welding Ser.	4 50
Kenneth Wilkerson	27 45
Willis Garland	48 75
Chas. Di Prizio & Sons	17 24
Ellsworth Thompson	5 60
Bruce Wiggin	30 00
Robert T. Palmer	16 50
Town of Milton	17 40

\$4538 73

WINTER HIGHWAYS

J. M. Haynes Est.	\$ 14 61
B. A. Dresser	10 95
W. G. Weeks	65 10
Fred Tewksbury	72 85
Chas. Bly	256 40
Albert W. Wiggin, Truck	45 40
Myron Cate	14 72
E. W. Systrom Co.	54 26
Coll. Int. Revenue	197 90
Wesley Hackett	151 50
Sanbornville Garage	518 92
Geo. Wentworth	183 77
Walter Richards	63 00
Edgar I. Drown	395 70
Wm. Streader	77 15
Wm. Boston	56 45
Harold Bean	22 88
Wiggins Ser. Sta.	72 48
Wakefield Garage	44 23
Frank Moody	55 14
Wiles Welding Ser.	377 63
Fred Nason	1272 50
Carl Dodier	12 00
Geo. Fifield, Jr.	17 25
Lawrence Nason	82 60
Fred Nason, Jr.	188 20
Clark & Wilcox Co.	39 30
E. R. Atherton	35 00
Willis Garland	376 10
East Wakefield Store	5 13
Stephen Drown	329 60
Bruce Wiggin	19 40
Wt. Mt. Garage	120 32
Lakes Region Garage	134 44
Delmore Witham	165 50
Wm. Drown	15 00

R. J. Giraud	24 50	
Robt. Soucy	1 40	
Donald Nason	358 30	
Jas. Blackwood, Lumber	4 82	
Almon Nason	108 10	
Richard Swinerton	16 58	
Howard Stewart	7 70	
Frank Plummer	21 50	
Howard Garland	24 35	
Laskey's Garage	4 45	
Roger Crediford	4 80	
Malcolm Emack	35 00	
Woodman's Store	4 80	
Brackett & Shaw Co.	80 58	
Malcolm Staples	12 80	
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		\$6273 26

NEW EQUIPMENT

E. W. Systrom Co. — Grader	\$4626 62
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LIBRARIES

Union Free Library	\$200 00	
Wakefield Library	200 00	
Gafney Library	350 00	
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		\$750 00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	\$4303 81
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TOWN POOR

Albert W. Wiggin, Overseer	\$ 30 00
James A. Reed, Jr., Overseer	35 00
James Blackwood, Overseer	30 00
Carroll County Home	380 00
Tibbetts Country Store	20 00
E. A. Himes Est.	60 00
D. E. Dames Store	40 00
Farmer's Tavern	4 60
Nellie Robinson	24 00
Clara Mee	5 00
Howard P. Sawyer, MD	15 00
W. J. Paul Dye, MD	28 00
Marion Kimball	31 68
Mary's Restaurant	3 97
Huggins Hospital	9 00
General Store	40 00
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	\$756 25

MEMORIAL DAY

Memorial Day Expenses	\$91 50
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MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES

Memorial Day Exercise Expenses	\$91 50
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The Veterans of Burroughs-Drew Post No. 7663, Dept. of New Hampshire, Veterans of Foreign Wars are indeed grateful to the citizens of the Town of Wakefield, N. H. for the appropriation which made this possible. It was our earnest desire to obtain a band, and to parade to one of the local cemeteries, and there

symbolically decorate a soldier's grave to honor the brave men who have given their lives in the defense of our democratic way of life. Inasmuch as the appropriation was received at such a late date it was found that the only available band would cost over \$200.00. With practically no discussion this was turned down as too expensive, with the hope that next year, with the cooperation of the citizens of this Town, and with an earlier start, we should be able to obtain the services of a good band, and thereby memorialize these honored dead in a manner befitting their great sacrifice.

EARL RAMSEY
Adjutant

CLARENCE O. MARTIN
Commander

PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

Sanbornville Athletic Association	\$300 00
Union Sports Association	\$300 00

INSURANCE

Ossipee Insurance Agency	\$750 34
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INTEREST

Wolfeboro Nat. Bank	\$534 57	
Trustee, Trust Funds	271 25	
		\$805 82

COUNTY TAX

Kenneth Berry, Treasurer	\$8385 81
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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAKEFIELD

Balance of Appropriation, 1947	\$ 5073 10	
Part of Appropriation, 1948	20000 00	
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		\$25073 10

DOG DAMAGE

Mary Garland	\$ 4 00	
James A. Reed, Sr.	10 00	
Walter Richards	40 00	
Ralph W. Hanson	14 00	
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		\$68 00

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

H. A. Beacham, Collector	\$743.39
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BOUNTIES

Albert W. Wiggin	\$21 00	
James A. Reed, Jr.	48 00	
James Blackwood	30 50	
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		\$99 50

TEMPORARY LOANS

Wolfeboro Nat. Bank — 1947	
Loan	\$10000 00
Wolfeboro Nat. Bank — 1948	
Loan	18000 00
Trustee, Trust Fund, 1936 Loan	7000 00
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	\$35000 00

PRECINCTS

Sanbornville Precinct	\$2650 00	
Union Precinct	1200 00	
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TRUSTEE, TRUST FUND

Capital Reserve Fund	\$5000 00
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SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Sanbornville Fire Dept.	\$500 00	
Union Fire Precinct	500 00	
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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAKEFIELD

Fefund — Error in Deposit	\$15 00
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STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

Town of Wakefield, N. H., Dec. 31, 1948
 Showing Annual Maturity of Outstanding Long
 term notes

	Original Amt.	Total Annual
Maturity	\$12,000 @ 1¾%	Maturities
1949	\$3000 00	\$3000 00
1950	\$3000 00	\$3000 00
1951	\$3000 00	\$3000 00
1952	\$3000 00	\$3000 00
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Total	\$12000 00	\$12000 00

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1948

TRUST FUNDS — PURPOSE OF CREATION

All trust funds should be reported giving name of fund and donor

Date of Creation		Amount of Principal	Balance Income at Beginning of Year	Income dur- ing Year	Expended During Year	Balance Income at end of year
1807	Ministerial Fund	\$ 900.00		\$ 25.88	\$ 25.88	
1903	Union Fund by A. J. Hayes and others	1200.00	35.01	36.00	16.00	55.01
1903	Gage Hill Fund by Josiah Hobbs and others	300.00	22.67	9.00		31.67
1904	Chesley Copp Fund by Lucy M. Sawyer	300.00	28.09	9.00		37.09
1906	Jane Cook Fund by Jane Cook	150.00	17.72	4.50		22.22
1907	Weeks Fund by N. O. Weeks and others	200.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
1908	Mathews Fund by J. W. Mathews	500.00	2.40	15.00	15.00	2.40
1908	Gilman Fund by Theodore Gilman	200.00	22.70	6.00		28.70
1911	L. A. Dearborn Fund	100.00		3.00	3.00	
1912	S. & L. M. Sawyer Fund	100.00		3.00	3.00	
1912	P. C. Young Fund by R. G. Young and N. O. Weeks	100.00	9.00	3.00		12.00
1913	A. M. Haines Fund	100.00	.10	3.00	3.00	.10
1915-1942	Remick Fund by A. M. & E. S. Remick	200.00	2.00	3.50	3.00	2.50
1916	Brewster Fund by T. S. M. W. & L. A. Brewster	100.00	3.92	3.00		6.92
1916	Page Fund by Heirs of C. W. Page	200.00	3.50	3.50	5.50	5.50
1917	Jones Fund by Elizabeth R. Jones	100.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
1917	Jonathan Burleigh Fund by Est. of E. P. Burleigh	500.00	106.57	15.00		121.57
1921	Jordan Fund by Ida M. Jordan	100.00	14.56	3.00		17.56
1921	S. C. Wentworth Fund by C. E. Sanders	100.00	11.78	3.00		14.78
1921	Willey Fund by Harriet F. Willey	200.00	3.00	6.00	6.00	3.00
1921	Martha and Mary Cottle Fund	300.00	22.00	9.00	5.00	26.00
1922	J. Brackett Wiggin Fund by E. May Hanson	100.00	23.85	3.00		26.85
1923	Edith C. Wiggin Fund by Edith C. Wiggin	100.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
1924-1929	H. B. Tuttle Fund by K. V. Tuttle & A. E. Weeks	100.00	9.00	3.00		12.00
1924	Emily Cottle Fund by J. H. Garvin ex.	100.00	25.93	3.00		28.93
1926	Josiah N. Jones Fund	100.00	6.00	3.00		9.00
1927	Deer Fund by Fannie H. Dorr	400.00	64.89	12.00		76.89
1928	J. N. Willey Fund by Annie W. Gerry	300.00	42.21	9.00		51.21
1929	Geo. F. Bickford Fund by Geo. F. Bickford	50.00	4.50	1.50		6.00
1929	E. M. Wentworth Fund	20.00	.05	.55		.60

1929	Walker G. Colbath Fund	100.00			
1929	E. M. Cate Fund by E. M. Cate	100.00	1.00	3.00	1.00
1930	Full Fund by Lucy M. & Geo. G. Fall	100.00		3.00	4.00
1930	Kimball Fund by A. Kimball Marsh	100.00		3.00	3.00
1931	Geo. L. Wentworth Fund by M. S. Wentworth	100.00	1.50	3.00	3.00
1931	Paul Farnham Fund by Marietta Farnham	75.00	5.19	2.22	3.00
1931	Hanson Fund by Marcellus & J. F. Hanson	100.00		2.22	7.41
1932	N. K. Nutter Fund by Heirs	100.00	21.62	3.00	21.62
1933	Miliken Fund by H. C. Tibbetts & Belle Sinclair	100.00		3.00	
1933	F. P. Spencer Fund	100.00			
1935-1938	Mark H. L. Colbath Fund by Abbie Taylor	100.00	2.72	3.00	5.72
1935	Asa Piper Fund by Idella Piper	100.00	1.19	4.32	1.01
1935	Alonzo Wentworth Fund by D. G. Hodgdon	100.00		3.00	1.00
1936	H. L. Hall Fund by Percy C. Hall	100.00	.68	2.88	1.00
1936-1942	Robinson-Chapman Fund by R. C. Chapman	100.00	13.70	2.88	16.58
1936	Phineas Wentworth Fund by Belle W. Sinclair	100.00	7.68	2.88	10.56
1937	F. L. Wood Fund	100.00	13.05	2.88	18.43
1938	A. L. Evans Fund by Anna Evans	100.00	9.81	2.88	12.69
1938-1942	Joseph Page Fund by Heirs	100.00	5.75	2.50	8.25
1939	M. J. Garland Fund	200.00	.07	2.50	.07
1939	Geo. W. Haines Fund by H. F. Beagham	200.00	11.00	5.00	16.60
1940	J. B. Lord Fund by Amy L. Wiggin	100.00	7.73	5.00	7.73
1941	William J. Brown Fund by Celia M. Brown	100.00	1.86	2.50	1.36
1941	Kines-Bickford Fund by A. M. Bickford	100.00	2.52	2.50	3.52
1941	Florence Twitchell Fund by Mabel Bailey	200.00	6.83	3.00	10.33
1942	J. W. & M. W. Wiggin Fund by Heirs	300.00	5.30	7.50	10.00
1942	M. C. Clark Fund by E. L. Clark	1000.00	60.80	26.46	87.26
1942	Union School Fund by Belle W. Sinclair	400.00	26.25	10.00	31.25
1942	Lang Fund by Est. of S. W. Clow	100.00	7.50	2.50	10.00
1943	R. F. D. Sibley Fund by F. D. Sibley & E. M. Longley	600.00	75.00	15.00	90.00
1943	W. J. Storey Fund by Josie B. Storey	100.00	8.00	2.50	10.50
1943	A. O. Robinson Fund by A. O. Robinson	150.00	3.95	3.85	3.80
1944	Peter Cook Fund by A. O. Robinson	100.00	.25	2.50	.25
1944	Colbath-Aubury Fund by V. C. Aubury	200.00	5.50	5.00	6.50
1945	S. S. Rummels Fund by Heirs	100.00	8.75	2.50	11.25
1945	D. E. Parmenter Fund by J. G. Parmenter	100.00	1.25	2.00	1.75
1945	Asa Brackett Fund by Est. of F. L. Brackett	100.00	.75	2.50	.25
1945	J. C. Young Fund by J. C. Young	150.00	1.52	2.50	2.05
1945	Geo. H. Chase Fund by Geo. H. Chase	400.00	14.75	10.00	22.75
1948	Town of Wakefield — Capital Reserve Fund	200.00		2.50	2.50
1948	L. G. Dore Fund by Hattie Dore	500.00		86.67	86.67
1948		100.00		1.25	1.25
		\$19145.00	\$832.63	\$479.13	\$165.38 \$1146.38

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Jan. 22, 1949

ALBERT W. WIGGIN, Trustee

GAFNEY LIBRARY

by Mrs. George Tessier, Librarian

The year 1948 was an outstanding one for the Gafney Library. The total circulation of books increased substantially over the previous year, which in turn exceeded the year before that. This reflects the steadily increasing use of the facilities of the Library by the people of Sanbornville, the community in which the Library is located; by the people of the whole Town of Wakefield; and by "the people of Carroll County," for whom the Library is operated in accordance with the Trust established under the will of the late Charles B. Gafney.

Early in the year the Library was completely redecorated and the improvement was greatly appreciated by the patrons and by the staff. Many compliments were received on the handsome appearance of the interior. The painting was done under the expert supervision of Mr. Albert Wiggin. The new window drapes were selected by the Librarian and made by Mrs. Marjory Hanson. The splendid floor finish and the rubber strips covering the heavily-used areas were selected and procured by Mr. Ansel N. Sanborn, who deserves great credit for obtaining them at a time when they were scarce and hard to get.

The beautiful blue-green color on the walls, which has been much admired, is a special color-tone created for the Wakefield-Brookfield Historical Society by Mrs. Edwin Geauque. Small samples of this color were found on walls of some very old houses in this area and, working from these bits, Mrs. Geauque tinted paint to reproduce the effect. The color is called "Wake-Brook Country Green," because of its early use by pioneers in their Wakefield and Brookfield country houses.

The circulation figure for the year was 3350. Of this number,

Fiction	2439
Non-fiction	283
Juvenile	529

While the circulation of fiction represented a part of the increase for the year, the major part of the increase in circulation for the Library was in the books for children. This is highly gratifying to the staff, for it indicates increasing use of the books by the young people of the area who will be our leading citizens of the future.

One interesting activity of the Library, not reflected in the circulation figures, is the "Mystery Shelf," which developed extensively during the year. Started originally with a gift of paper-backed pocket-size mystery stories by Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell Burwell of Cleveland, Ohio and Brookfield, the shelf has become a self-operating "swap department." Mystery fans bring in books they have read as gifts to the Library, and borrow from the shelf those they have not read. Appreciation of this department has been expressed enthusiastically by its patrons and the shelf has grown steadily.

There were 155 new books added to the catalogue during the year. Of these 103 were fiction, 9 were non-fiction and 43 were for young people.

Books were donated by Miss Violet Pike, Mrs. Verlie Garland, Mrs. Hathaway, Mrs. Edwin Geauque, Miss Donavon, Miss Enid Watson, Miss Charlotte Garvin and M. E. Tessier. Magazines were donated by Mrs. L. S. Edwards, Mrs. Seiders, Mrs. Ansel Sanborn, Mr. McCausland and Mrs. M. E. Tessier. Magazine subscriptions were donated by Mrs. Grant Leman-Waldron and Mrs. M. E. Tessier.

The Trustees of the Library are:

MR. ANSEL N. SANBORN, Chairman

MR. ALBERT O. ROBINSON

MR. EDWIN PRESTON GEAUQUE, Treasurer

WAKEFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Selectmen of the Town of Wakefield,
Sanbornville, N. H.

Dear Sirs: —

I herewith submit my report for the year ending
Jan. 1, '49.

The association met at the Library on Wednesday,
July 7, 1948. Mr. John Roberts, Mrs. Thomas Grier,
Mrs. Nancy Paul and Miss Elizabeth Spencer were
present. In the absence of the President and
Secretary Miss Spencer acted for them. The follow-
ing Trustees were elected for the ensuing year:

President: Mrs. Ethel Mackenzie

Secretary: Mrs. Ruth Tuttle

Treasurer: Mrs. Marietta Haskell

Librarian: Mrs. Ruth Tuttle

Members: Mrs. Nancy Paul, Mrs. Thomas
Grier, Miss Elizabeth Spencer, Mr. John
Roberts.

A committee consisting of Mrs. Mackenzie, Mrs.
Haskell and Miss Spencer was appointed to investigate
the matter of the furnace. They decided the old
furnace should be replaced with a new one. We now
have a very modern oil heater that is a great improve-
ment. Through the effort of Mrs. Carlton B. Spencer,
Miss Elizabeth Spencer and Mrs. Marietta Haskell
sales of Glidden pottery have been held at the library
to help pay expense of the heater. This has proved
a very successful undertaking and because there has
been such a popular demand for it they will continue
to sell it next year.

With added expenses, Mrs. Haskell has also kept
up our standard of book selection. Some new books
added are:

"The Purple Plain" by H. E. Bates

"Eagle In the Sky" by F. Van Wick Mason

"Light In the Window" by Mary Roberts Rinehart

"A Horse to Remember" by G. T. Eames

"Came A Cavalier" by Frances Parkinson Keyes

"The Wall Between" by Elsie Barker

"Pilgrim's Inn" by Elizabeth Goudge

"Peony" by Pearl Buck

"Lusty Wind for Carolina" by Inglis Fletcher

"Bishop's Mantle" by Agnes Sleigh Tumbull

"Scarlet Patch" by Bruce Lancaster

"Running of the Tide" by Esther Forbes

"Tobias Brandywine" by Dan Wickendon

"Beloved Bondage" by Elizabeth Yates

"Shannon's Way" by A. J. Cronin

The Bookmobile continues their good services and have loaned us many books — especially mystery stories and children's books. Several have been given by friends and all has helped to make another good year for the library. I wish to thank all the people who have helped by giving to the library and patronizing it and who have helped and worked with the committee with their pottery.

Sincerely thanking you for our appropriation

Respectfully submitted

RUTH E. TUTTLE,

Secretary

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SANBORNVILLE PRECINCT

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1948

ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$1054 22
Uncollected Water Rents	375 92
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Total Assets	\$1430 14
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt)	24569 86
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Grand Total	\$26000 00

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding, Total Liabilities	\$26000 00
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Grand Total	\$26000 00

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:	
From Taxes	\$2650 00
Water Rents	2317 82
Rent of Pump	4 00
Insurance Dividend	3 10
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$4974 92
Cash on hand at beginning of year	1375 47
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Grand Total	\$6350 39

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:	
Preston Smart, Retainer	\$ 30 00
Leroy Robinson, Caretaker	120 00

Reta Flynn, Collector	120 00
Wilmot Seiders, Treas. 1947	45 83
Bernice Sanborn, Treas.	52 25
Water Expense, Mains	917 55
Water Expense, Pump House	426 48
Printing	13 97
Postage & Supplies	19 50
Officers' Bonds	25 00
Volunteer Firemen	161 00
Regular Firemen	208 13
Fire Fighting Expense	253 07
Fire Station Expense	68 00
Insurance	178 80
Bank Service Charges	6 59
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses:	\$2646 17
Interest Paid:	650 00
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Total Outlay Payments	\$3296 17
Indebtedness: Payment on Bonds	2000 00
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Total Payments for All Purposes	\$5296 17
Cash on hand at end of year	1054 22
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Grand Total	\$6350 39

Audited and Found Correct, February 7, 1949.

ALDEN N. YOUNG, Auditor

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

January 15, 1949

BERNICE M. SANBORN
Treasurer

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE UNION VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1948

ASSETS

Cash on hand, General fund, total assets	\$1070 34
Grand Total	\$1070 34

LIABILITIES

Notes outstanding, Total Liabilities	\$1000 00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities (Surplus)	70 34
Grand Total	\$1070 34

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

Lands and Buildings: Fire Station	\$3000 00
Furniture and Apparatus	3500 00
	\$6500 00

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:	
From Taxes	\$1200 00
Town Appropriation	500 00
Wakefield School Board	18 50
Town of Middleton	30 00
Wolfeboro Nat'l Bank	1 82
Receipts other than Current Revenue:	
Notes issued during year	1200 00
Total Receipts from All Sources	\$2950 32
Cash on hand at beginning of year	201 77
Grand Total	\$3152 09

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

Insurance	\$193 12
Fuel	168 27
Electricity	26 20
Painting Truck	15 00
Firemen's Salaries	236 50
Hose	545 00
Welding	22 50
Suction Hose	36 00
Repairs to Truck	98 41
Garage Work, Oil & Gas	126 67
Labor	10 00
Miscellaneous	87 33
Postage & Stationery	1 00
Telephone	75
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$1875 75
Interest Paid	6 00
Indebtedness:	
Payment on Notes	200 00
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Total Payments for All Purposes	\$2081 75
Cash on hand at end of year	1070 34
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Grand Total	\$3152 09
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CERTIFICATE

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Dec. 31, 1948

HOWARD A. BEACHAM
Treasurer

SANBORNVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1948 — December 31, 1948

January 1, 1948 Cash on hand	\$334 39
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RECEIPTS

Refund	\$ 45	
Sale of Dodge Truck	150 00	
Sale of Siren	15 00	
Use of Portable Pump	2 00	
Bank Dividend	2 29	
Donations	16 00	
Inhalator Fund	7 55	
Penny Sale	43 30	
Town of Wakefield	500 00	
Turkey Raffles	63 85	
Whist Parties	21 88	
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Total Receipts		\$822 32
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		\$1156 71

DISBURSEMENTS

Public Service	\$ 12 00
Keys	30
Hope Rubber Co.	9 99
Postage — Money Order Fees	77
Oyster Supper	31 53
G. M. Spinney	37 52
General Store	28 26
Posters and Printing	5 00
Tickets	40 37

American Fire Equipment Co.	337 47	
James K. Horne	413 27	
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Total Disbursements		\$916 48
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Balance December 31, 1948		\$240 23

RALPH E. BRACKETT
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Your local organization to prevent and extinguish brush and woods fires is glad to report a good year of forest protection in 1948. In spite of danger conditions nearly equalling at times those of 1947 when great losses were suffered in New Hampshire and New England, fire damage and loss this year have been gratifyingly low.

With the continuing cooperation of all the people, we can hope to have another successful year in 1949. Let us remember that in any year, over 90% of all fires are caused by carelessness and that all of these man-caused fires are preventable.

Today, we have more slash and uncut grassland than for many years in the past. Smokers, campers and tourists who use our outdoors are also more numerous than ever before. We must therefore be ready for fires which might occur but, above all, prevention by everyone is the greatest need.

A few simple precautions taken by every citizen will help, as follows:

- (1) Always get a written permit from the warden before kindling a fire outdoors when the ground is not covered with snow.
- (2) If you smoke, always extinguish matches and tobacco before dropping or throwing them down. In automobiles, always use the ash trays.
- (3) Report fires and smokes to the warden without delay.

The observance of these and other simple rules will go far to insure safety from fire damage and your cooperation in this way is earnestly solicited.

1948 FIRE RECORD

Number of Fires	12
Acreage Burned	116 Acres
Number of Fire Permits Issued	61

Respectfully submitted,

S. H. BOOMER
District Fire Chief

REUBEN P. LANG
Forest Fire Warden

Audited and Found Correct February 7, 1949.

ALDEN N. YOUNG, Auditor

**REPORT OF THE WAKEFIELD FUND FOR
RESTORATION OF ABANDONED
BURYING GROUNDS**

Appropriation 1947	\$300 00
1948	300 00
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Total	\$600 00
Expenditures 1948	107 00
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Balance in Wolfeboro Bank	\$493 00

CEMETERIES RESTORED

Brown - Hodsdon	
22 hours labor	\$22 00
Hutchins	
16 hours labor	16 00
Ayers	
22 hours labor	\$22 00
Rev. Asa Piper	
24 hours labor	24 00
1 load of loam	5 00
Varney	
8 hours labor	8 00
Rev. Avery Hall	
10 hours labor	10 00
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Total cost	\$107 00

ADELAIDE R. HUGHES
Administrator

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
OF WAKEFIELD

School Board

James Blackwood	term expires 1949
Samuel H. Paul	term expires 1950
Isabelle T. Fox	term expires 1951

Organization

James Blackwood, Chairman

Abbie F. Tuttle, Treasurer

G. F. Wentworth, Moderator

Albert W. Wiggin, Clerk

Mrs. Ruth Anderson, School Nurse

Reuben P. Lang, Attendance Officer

Everett H. Brasier, Superintendent of Schools

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1949 - 1950
AS COMPARED TO 1947 - 1948
DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expend's 1947-1948	Estimated Expend's 1949-1950
Administration		
Salaries of District Officers	\$405 00	\$525 00
Superintendent's Salary	649 50	800 00
Tax for statewide supervision	332 00	372 00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	25 00	40 00
Supplies and other expenses	324 53	750 00
	<hr/> \$1736 03	<hr/> \$2487 00
Instruction		
Salaries of teachers & principals	\$13158 70	\$14600 00
Books and other instructional material	204 67	450 00
Scholars' supplies	368 15	450 00
Other instructional expenses	47 88	100 00
	<hr/> \$13779 40	<hr/> \$15600 00
Operation of School Plant		
Salaries of janitors	\$1030 00	\$1200 00
Fuel and heat	1154 45	1200 00
Water, light, supplies and expenses	282 89	500 00
	<hr/> \$2467 34	<hr/> \$2900 00
Maintenance of School Plant		
Repairs and Replacements	\$1014 51	\$950 00
Auxiliary Activities		
Health supervision	\$ 402 90	\$ 450 00
Transportation	3755 30	4000 00

Tuition	5168 49	7000 00
Special activities and special funds	32 76	100 00
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	\$9359 45	\$11550 00
Fixed Charges		
Retirement	\$187 72	\$550 00
Insurance, Treas. Bond and expenses	172 34	350 00
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	\$360 06	\$900 00
Total Expenditures	\$28716 79	
Balance on hand	372 52	
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Grand Total	\$29089 31	
Total Amount to Meet School Board's Budget		\$34387 00

INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30	\$ 568 21	
State Aid	5592 53	\$4000 00
Dog tax	96 10	100 00
Elementary Tuition, Middleton	684 00	
Milton	248 00	500 00
Appropriation	19497 00	29787 00
Deficiency appropriation	500 00	
Appropriation 1948 - 1949	1780 00	
Refund	123 47	
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	\$29089 31	\$34387 00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

ADMINISTRATION

Salaries of District Officers

Isabelle T. Fox	\$123 34	
James Blackwood	116 66	
S. H. Paul	110 00	
Abbie F. Tuttle	50 00	
Albert W. Wiggin	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$405 00

Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)

State Treasurer	\$649 50
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Tax for State Wide Supervision

State Treasurer	\$332 00
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Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel

R. P. Lang (Truant Officer)	\$20 00	
Julia H. Paul (Census)	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$25 00

Supplies and Other Expenses

E. H. Brasier	\$164 38	
A. H. Rice & Co.	2 85	
Paul Farnum	5 00	
Ralph E. Brackett	3 00	
James Blackwood	45 50	
S. H. Paul	53 00	
Isabelle T. Fox	47 50	
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Wolfeboro National Bank	3 30	
		\$324 53

INSTRUCTION

Salaries of Teachers

Walter E. Brasier	\$2488 50
Helen L. Abbott	1500 30
Flora P. Brackett	1667 00
Florence Gerrish	1830 10
Frances Nye	1904 10
Abbie F. Tuttle	1746 80
Margaret P. Paul	263 80
Doris Woodbury	21 00
Julia H. Paul	21 00
Collector of Internal Revenue	1368 10
Teachers' Retirement Board	348 00
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	\$13158 70

Text Books

Ginn & Co.	\$55 47
Scott, Foresman & Co.	43 39
Arlo Publishing Co.	7 97
American Book Co.	14 42
Hall and McCraey	1 35
Houghton Mifflin Co.	32 90
Iroquois Publishing Co.	11 18
J. L. Hammett & Co.	31 29
Allyn & Bacon Co.	5 55
Florence Gerrish	1 15
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	\$204 67

Scholars' Supplies

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$292 56
Arlo Publishing Co.	8 12
Ginn & Co.	7 26
Scott, Foresman & Co.	32 76

American Book Co.	16 06	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	9 38	
Combosco Scientific Co.	2 01	
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		\$368 15

Other Instructional Expenses

The Webster Publishing Co.	\$ 5 98	
E. M. Hale & Co.	7 11	
Martin & Murray Co.	7 68	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	15 12	
American Education Press	6 75	
James Bailey Co., Inc.	5 24	
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		\$47 88

OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANTS

Salaries of Janitors

R. P. Lang	\$630 00	
Helen Leighton	400 00	
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		\$1030 00

Fuel

Oscar Duchano	\$ 37 50	
R. P. Lang	118 00	
Harry E. Graham	362 48	
Frank J. Brackett	253 97	
Homer C. Lowe	370 50	
Wm. M. Lord Co.	12 00	
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		\$1154 45

Water, Light & Supplies

Sanbornville Precinct	\$ 36 00	
L. O. Moulton	42 75	

Public Service Co. of N. H.	174 04
Dube & Murphy	2 25
Helen Leighton	27 85

\$282 89

MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

Repairs & Replacements

Frank E. Underwood	\$ 12 50
Loring, Short & Harmon	162 13
R. P. Lang	15 00
J. W. Kennedy	18 90
I. D. Tuttle	5 00
Arthur Libby	8 75
E. A. Himes	14 59
Lakes Region Motor Co.	15 00
Union Village Precinct	18 50
Wakefield Supply Co.	25 10
Randolph Gerard	20 00
Leroy H. Hamm	147 17
Albert W. Wiggin	531 98
J. M. Haynes Est.	19 89

\$1014 51

AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES

Health Supervision

Dorothy Willey	\$400 00
Tobey's Pharmacy	2 90

\$402 90

Transportation

George Wentworth	\$1366 50
F. S. Pike	800 00

R. T. Palmer	475 00	
Marion Kimball	700 00	
Carrie Downs	360 00	
Oscar Duchano	4 80	
William Twombly	49 00	
	<hr/>	\$3755 30

Tuition

City of Rochester	\$3373 65	
Nute High School	1579 00	
Conway School District	115 84	
Brewster Free Academy	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$5168 49

Special Activities

E. H. Brasier (Films)	\$16 74	
R. T. Palmer (Bus)	15 00	
Helen Abbott	1 02	
	<hr/>	\$32 76

FIXED CHARGES

Retirement

Teachers' Retirement Board	\$160 00	
State Employees Ret. Board	27 72	
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Insurance

Ossipee Insurance Agency	\$172 34	
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Total Payments		\$28716 79

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Cash on hand July 1, 1948	\$ 568 21	
Madison refund	123 47	
State Aid	5592 53	
Middleton, Tuition	684 00	
Milton, Tuition	248 00	
Dog Tax	96 10	
Town Appropriation	19497 00	
Deficiency Appropriation	500 00	
Appropriation for 1948-49	1780 00	
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		\$29089 31
Less School Board orders		28716 79
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Bal. on hand June 30, 1948		\$352 52

ABBIE F. TUTTLE
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. of pupils examined		142
	No. pupils with Defects	No. treated
Vision	39	19
Hearing	17	
Teeth	56	30
Tonsils	9	
Skin diseases	10	10
Communicable diseases	24	
No. pupils excluded from school		32
No. of visits to schools		45

A T. B. Clinic was held in Sanbornville Oct. 10, 1947 with 13 children X-rayed, all negative.

DOROTHY T. WILLEY
School Nurse

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Wakefield:

Teachers in the Wakefield schools during 1947-1948 were: Sanbornville Primary Miss Abbie F. Tuttle, grades 1 and 2; Miss Flora Brackett grades 3 and 4; Sanbornville Grammer Miss Frances Nye, grades 5 and 6; Walter E. Brasier, grades 7 and 8. In the Union School Mrs. Florence Gerrish, grades 1 to 4, and Mrs. Helen Abbott, grades 5 to 8. With the prevailing scarcity of qualified elementary teachers Wakefield is fortunate in having a competent staff with few replacements. Miss Nye was absent for a period of one year but returned with the opening of school in September, 1947. A high per cent of turnover in teaching staff is common in many communities, and presents one of the outstanding problems in education throughout the country. No business enterprise could hope to prosper with such a high turnover. Every effort should be made to hold good teachers.

During the year graduates of Wakefield schools attended high schools as follows: — Brewster Academy 2, Nute High School 16, Spaulding High School 30, Kennett High School 1, a total of 49. Reports from the high schools show that our graduates were well prepared and compare favorably with those from other towns.

The increase in the birth rate during recent years is beginning to show in our first grade registration. Last year there were in this grade 19 pupils. During the current year 24 have enrolled to date. The census returns of September 1948, which included all children from birth to 16 years of age, indicates that this trend toward an increase will continue through the next five years with approximately 34 pupils entering the

first grade in 1952. This increase in school population may make necessary an increase in the number of class rooms and teachers. Should a building become necessary, the provisions of the Cooperative School Act of 1947 should be studied carefully. This act makes it possible for two or more school districts to form a cooperative school district for the purpose of organization and operation of a school or schools.

Schools in several communities in this area are profiting from the activities of recently organized Parent - Teacher Associations. These are affiliated with the state and national organizations and are serving effectively to promote the interests of education in their respective communities. I suggest that interested parents investigate the possibilities of such an organization in Wakefield. Your superintendent will give all possible assistance in the formation of such a group.

The effective interest and cooperation in the operation of our schools shown by members of the School Board, teachers, parents and pupils is gratefully acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,
EVERETT H. BRASIER

January 24, 1949

Superintendent of Schools

STATISTICS

Number of weeks of school year	38
Average number of half-days in session	360
Total number of different pupils registered	141
Boys 82 Girls 59	
Average membership in elementary schools	131.85
Per cent of attendance in all schools for year	94.34
Per cent of tardiness, elementary	0.48
Number of pupils transported at district expense	47
Number of visits to school by	
School Board members	1
Citizens	341
Superintendent	135
Number of School Board meetings held	12
Perfect attendance for the school year 1947-48:	

Elementary Schools

Martha Karcher	Karla Tibbetts
Clifton Rand	Kenneth Wilson
Loretta Soucy	Gilbert Shirley
David Gagnon	John McDonald
Leslie Joy	Malcolm Joy
Irene Pippin	Louis R. Sprague
	Eleanor Leighton

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, N. H., FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1948

Date Birth	Name of Child	No. of Child Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 4	Babette Rose	1 Forrest A. Garland	Patricia A. Witham	Saunbornville	Dover
Feb. 1	David Earl	1 Frank E. Randall	Alberta R. Dunk	Saunbornville	Arlington, Mass.
Feb. 23	Marion Elsie	1 Herbert W. Mahenham	Marion E. Welch	Woffeboro	Arlansfield, Me.
Feb. 28	Keith Elmore	1 Elmore Milner	Frances M. Corson	Farmington	Wakefield
Mar. 31	Wesley Joseph, Jr.	1 Wesley J. Glennon	Harriette L. Karcher	Malden, Mass.	East Woffeboro
Apr. 11	Shirley Faye	2 Arnold L. Ridlon	Hazel L. Beal	Woffeboro	West Newfield, Me.
Apr. 29	Harry Arnold	1 Randolph J. Gerard	Phyllis E. C. Drown	Woffeboro	Wakefield
May 5	Sandra Louise	2 Fred W. Dudley II	Frances C. Holmes	Rochester	Dover
May 18	Susan Louise	2 William F. Michlauskas	Pauline G. Scheetz	N. Attleboro, Mass.	Wakefield
June 13	Judy	3 Guy B. Weeks	Clara R. Bickford	Wakefield	Philadelphia, Pa.
June 18	Wayne Robert	1 George R. Martin	Margaret L. Drown	Wakefield	Wakefield
June 28	Shirley Demerise	2 Richard Drew, Jr.	Doris L. Vachon	Woffeboro	Wakefield
July 5	Paul Chester	2 Albert A. Stewart	Ernestine B. Dimond	Turners F's, Mass.	Woffeboro
July 25	Nancy Lee	3 Richard A. Wiggins	Katharine F. Tuttle	Errol	Gilmanton
July 29	Eileen Mary	4 Ralph W. Hanson, Jr.	Arline F. Day	Saunbornville	Wakefield
Aug. 5	Carroll Joseph	1 Carroll M. Shea	Janet E. Bailey	Union	Berlin
Aug. 17	Lynnan Eugene	2 Frederick G. McGrea	Viola E. Butler	Shannon, N. B.	Woburn, Mass.
Oct. 4	Eric Malcolm	1 David E. McGay	Elizabeth M. Tucker	Winthrop, Mass.	Shelburne, N. S.
Oct. 6	Robert Charles	10 Presco F. Leighton	Glady E. Russell	Middleton	Winthrop, Mass.
Oct. 7	Candace Rae	2 Ralph E. Brackett	Pauline E. McGrillis	Saunbornville	Danvers, Mass.
Oct. 19	John Frederick	1 Frederick Fisher	Helen I. Meserve	Saunbornville	North Conway
Oct. 19	Thomas Alan	4 Forrest P. Lang	Barbara L. Perry	Saunbornville	Wakefield
Oct. 20	Fred Blaisdell, Jr.	2 Fred B. Randall	Ruth V. Drown	Saunbornville	Wakefield
Nov. 12	Leon Walter	2 Alfred C. Blair	Elaine A. Anderson	Saunbornville	Wakefield
Nov. 14	Cynthia Lee	1 Eugene F. Thomas, Jr.	Dorothy G. Colman	Laconia	Milton
Nov. 28	James Eugene	2 Eugene F. Littlefield	Louise M. Fifield	Maplewood, Mass.	Brookfield
Dec. 4	Dennis Alan	1 Henry E. Vashey	Mary E. Drown	Melboro, Mass.	Wakefield
1947				Pawtucket, R. I.	Wakefield
Dec. 30	Charles Elliott, Jr.	2 Charles E. Karcher	Marion T. Randall	Henniker	Saunbornville

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, N. H., FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1948

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age and Occupation of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Name & Residence of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 14	Milton Mills	Donald R. Dodier Ruth E. Valley	20 Woolen Mill Emp. 18 At Home	Sanbornville Milton Mills	Ralph V. Townsend Clergy
Jan. 23	Union	Charles T. Winkley Margie V. Wentworth	54 Box Maker 52 Stitcher	Rochester Union	George J. Schilling Clergy
Feb. 7	Sanbornville	Allan W. Mills Marion E. Chapman	34 Engineer 28 Asst. Plant Mgr.	Springfield, Mass. Gardiner, Me.	Rouben P. Lang J. P.
Feb. 11	Wolfeboro	William R. Langdon Dorothy A. Wentworth	28 Lumberman 18 Clerk	Acton, Me. Wakefield	W. Leroy Haven Clergy
Mar. 20	Sanbornville	Walter F. Thomas, Jr. Dorothy G. Colman	33 Student 35 Teacher	Wakefield Wakefield	Roland L. Thornton Clergy
Mar. 20	Union	Antonio Capobianco Annabelle E. Donnell	41 Theatre Mgr. 27 Cashier	Framingham, Mass. Framingham, Mass.	James A. Reed, Jr. J. P.
Apr. 19	Dover	Lewis Sorrell Abbie T. Allen	83 Retired 69 At Home	Dover Wakefield	Alfred J. Guilmette J. P.
June 15	Berlin	Victor L. Drapcan Arlita T. Blanchette	29 Cook 21 At Home	Sanbornville Berlin	Maurice Leclair Priest
June 19	Sanbornville	Norman L. Hackett Ethel M. Clark	31 R. R. Emp. 26 At Home	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Robert S. Barker Clergy
June 19	Brookfield	Irvig D. Tuttle, Jr. Jean Robertson	24 Carpenter 19 At Home	Wakefield Acton, Me.	Alvin C. Bacon Clergy
June 26	Lebanon, Me.	Samuel J. Rouleau, Jr. Barbara M. Herrick	19 R. R. Emp. 17 At Home	Milton Sanbornville	Chas. B. Goodwin J. P.
July 13	Sanbornville	Armand J. Gauthier Pauline S. Welch	21 R. R. Emp. 16 At Home	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Lebanon, Me. Henri A. Brodeur Priest
July 14	Sanbornville	Merle C. Whitehouse Mary G. Goudry	47 Car Salesman 28 At Home	Salon, Mass. Salon, Mass.	Roland L. Thornton Clergy
July 20	Wakefield	Alfred R. Delan Maude L. Doe	67 Ret. R. R. Emp. 55 Ret. Teacher	Salon, Mass. Union	Russell R. Morris Clergy
Aug. 4	Ossipee	Matthew Lahti Dorothy W. Lahti	57 Inv. Banker 46 At Home	Wakefield Medfield, Mass.	Preston B. Smart Clergy
Aug. 6	Sanbornville	Vincent Mick Glady's D. Moulton	63 Oil Merchant 50 At Home	Sanbornville Wakefield	Robert S. Barker Clergy
Sept. 2	Wakefield	Fred R. Morrill Eva C. Meyer	18 Truck Driver 17 At Home	Wakefield Milton Mills	Russell R. Morris Clergy
Sept. 12	Wakefield	Earl F. Caddel, Jr. Joanne M. Fanci	18 Hvy Equip. Op. 19 Lab. Technician	Wakefield Wakefield	Russell R. Morris Clergy

Sept. 18	Sanbornville	Ernest L. Provencier	54 Carpenter	Sanford, Me.	Reuben P. Lang	J. P.
Sept. 25	Wakefield	Odelie M. Bisson	56 Millworker	Sanford, Me.	Sanbornville	Clergy
Sept. 25	Sanbornville	John F. McGrath	20 Woodsman	Sanbornville	Russell R. Morris	
Oct. 3	Sanbornville	Jane A. Colbath	18 Shoeshop Emp.	Sanbornville	Wakefield	
Oct. 16	Sanbornville	John P. Clancy	22 Foundryman	Woburn, Mass.	Reuben P. Lang	J. P.
Oct. 17	Sanbornville	Phyllis G. Gritano	24 Salesgirl	Wakefield	Sanbornville	
Oct. 23	Sanbornville	Robert T. Doe	21 Auto Mechanic	Sanbornville	James T. Lodge	Clergy
Oct. 30	Wakefield	Marian L. Hutchins	18 Waitress	Sanbornville	Ctr. Barnstead	
Nov. 3	Milton	William A. Robinson	21 Mechanic	Sanbornville	Reuben P. Lang	
1947		June Valley	18 At Home	Milton Mills	Sanbornville	
Dec. 14	Sanbornville	Earle E. Nichols	28 Millman	Sanbornville	Wakefield	
		Rosina Ashby	43 Housework	Sanbornville	Milton	
		Elmer S. Blanchard	18 Farmer	Springvale, Me.	Sanbornville	
		Ethel M. Dolan	37 At Home	Sanbornville	Robert S. Parker	
		Lawrence C. Nason	18 R. R. Emp.	Sanbornville	Russell R. Morris	
		Marilyn E. French	22 Mill Emp.	Union	Wakefield	
		Fred W. Downs	18 Waitress	Middleton	Ralph V. Townsend	
		Virginia A. Stevens			Milton	
		Sumner E. Brown	26 Telephone Emp.	Rochester	Robert H. Dunn	
		Jane R. Stevens	25 Nurse	Sanbornville	Portsmouth	
						Clergy

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, N. H., FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1948

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Y. M. D.	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 14	Wolfeboro	Anne E. Page	72	So. Portland, Me.	Thare Trott	Adelaide Vincent
Jan. 22	Wolfeboro	Edwin A. Himes	82	Buchanan, Mich.	Edwin T. Himes	Sarah Abbott
Feb. 23	Wolfeboro	Frank D. Joy	82	So. Berwick, Me.	Owen Joy	Nancy Ayer
Mar. 7	Union	Josiah A. Littlefield	73	Burlington, Me.	Josiah Littlefield	Mary Ross
Mar. 12	Concord	May E. Avery	73	Mass.	Benjamin F. Miller	Mina F. Watson
May 3	East Wakefield	Ernest Bailey	78	Windham	Rufus H. Bailey	Lydia Plagg
May 10	Sanford, Me.	Clara L. Tuttle	61	Boston, Mass.	Wilbur F. Hurlbans	Mary Larigue
May 21	Union	George McD. Allen	72	Dover	John Allen	Albena Picard
May 25	Sanbornville	Joseph R. A. Jette	73	Canada	Peter Jette	Mary Jordan
May 26	Rochester	Frederick A. Theriault	54	Lowell, Mass.	Frederrick Theriault	Sarah L. Boston
May 31	Sanbornville	Louis Cronin	65	Bangor, Me.	Daniel Cronin	Sarah L. Boston
June 11	Union	Rose E. Andrews	81	New Durham	Charles H. Rines	Sarah Atherton
July 13	Union	Jennie M. Hobbs	70	Lebanon, Me.	Frank D. Pierce	
July 29	East Wakefield	Emma Herrick	91	St. Johns, N. B.		
Sept. 9	Wolfeboro	Clarence D. Evans	69	Rochester	John E. Chesley	Elizabeth Horne
Oct. 8	Sanbornville	Gertrude C. Pearl	81	Wakefield	Albert Evans	Hattie Goodall
Nov. 10	Wakefield	Abbie E. Wilkins	77	Brookfield	Elihu M. Rines	Mary E. Dearborn
Nov. 14	Rochester	Ellsworth B. Rines	68	Pittsfield		
Dec. 15	Union	John B. Brock	73		John Brock	
Dec. 31	Sandwich	Frederick H. Davis	87			

